

AMENDMENT AND PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS

Please replace all prior claims in the present application with the following claims.

1-17. (Canceled)

18. (Currently Amended) A method of receiving data comprising:

receiving data from a broadcast network;

processing the received data;

outputting the processed data; and

in response to an interruption, proceeding in a first resource saving mode by continuing to

receive data from the broadcast network but not processing and not outputting said

received data; and

proceeding in a second resource saving mode in which no data is received from the broadcast network, after operating in the first resource saving mode for a first predetermined time period.

19. (Original) A method according to claim 18, wherein, when in said first resource saving mode, received data is discarded.

20. (Original) A method according to claim 18, wherein, when in said first resource saving mode, received data is stored.

21. (Original) A method according to claim 20, comprising, in the first resource saving mode, discarding data received following the expiry of a predetermined time limit.

22. (Canceled)

23. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1822, wherein the step of receiving data from the broadcast network comprises filtering the received data in order to discard unwanted data.

24. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 23 wherein, after operating in said second resource saving mode for a second predetermined time period, removing a filter arranged to perform said filtering step.

25. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1822, wherein, after operating in said second resource saving mode for a third predetermined time period, an IP session arranged to handle the output data is closed.

26. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 2522, wherein, after operating in said second resource saving mode for a fourth predetermined time period, an application for outputting the processed data is deactivated.

27. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1849, wherein the interruption is an activation of an application unrelated to reception of data from the broadcast network.

28. (Original) A method according to claim 27, which proceeds in said first resource saving mode in response to a determination that insufficient resources are available for handling reception of data and the unrelated application.

29. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1849, comprising displaying a list of services provided over the broadcast network.

30. (Original) A method according to claim 29, comprising updating said list of services and displaying an updated list.

31. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1849, wherein the step of outputting comprises at least one of: displaying visually displayable data; and outputting audio data.

32. (Currently Amended) A computer program comprising instructions that, when run on processing means within a data receiving device, causes said data receiving device to perform a method according to claim 1849.

33. (Currently Amended) A data receiving device comprising:

a receiver arranged to receive data from a broadcast network;

a processor arranged to process the received data [[;]] and to cause

~~output means configured to output of the~~ output of the processed data; in response to an interruption the

data receiving device being arranged to operate in a first resource saving mode in which

the receiver remains active but received data is not processed by the processor and not

~~outputted by the output means~~ outputting, and the data receiving device being arranged to

operate in a second resource saving mode in which the receiver is deactivated, after

operating in the first resource saving mode for a first predetermined time period.

34. (Original) A data receiving device according to claim 33, wherein, in said first resource saving mode, the received data is discarded.

35. (Original) A data receiving device according to claim 33, wherein, in said first resource saving mode, the received data is stored.

36. (Original) A data receiving device according to claim 35, wherein, in the first resource saving mode, data received following the expiry of a predetermined time limit is discarded.

37. (Canceled)

38. (Currently Amended) A data receiving device according to claim 3337, wherein the receiver comprises a filter configured to extract selected data from the received data for processing, the receiver being configured to deactivate the filter after operating in said second resource saving mode for a second predetermined time period.

39. (Currently Amended) A data receiving device according to claim 3337, wherein the processor is configured to create an IP session for handling the output data, and, after operating in said second resource saving mode for a third predetermined time period, to close said IP session.

40. (Currently Amended) A data receiving device according to claim 37, configured to, after operating in said second resource saving mode for a fourth predetermined time period, deactivate an application configured to output the processed data ~~via the output means~~.

41. (Canceled)

42. (Currently Amended) A data receiving device according to claim 334, wherein the interruption is an activation of an application unrelated to reception of data from the broadcast network.

43. (Original) A data receiving device according to claim 42, configured to switch to said first resource saving mode in response to a determination that insufficient resources are available for handling reception of data and the unrelated application.

44. (Original) A data receiving device according to claim 33, further comprising a telephone transceiver arranged to transmit and receive data via a telecommunications network.

45. (Original) A data receiving device according to claim 33, comprising a media guide application to selectively access services provided over broadcast network.

46. (Original) A data receiving device according to claim 45, wherein the media guide application is configured to display and update a list of available services on a user interface of the receiving device.

47. (Currently Amended) A data receiving device according to claim 33, wherein the ~~output means comprises at least one of: processed data is output to at least one of~~ a display for outputting visually displayable data; and audio output ~~means apparatus~~.

48. (Original) A communication system comprising:

a broadcast network; and

one or more receiving devices according to claim 33.

49. (Original) A communication system according to claim 48, comprising:

a bi-directional telecommunications network;

wherein at least one of the one or more receiving devices comprises a telephone transceiver arranged to transmit and receive data via said telecommunications network.